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PERSONAL.

Captain Tom Axton is in town to-day.

Frank A. Lloyd is in Clarksburg to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frame are at Mt. Lake.

Contractor Eldridge is in Philippi on business.

Jacob Snyder is at the Tavern from Wheeling.

Mrs. A. B. Fleming went to Oakland to-day.

Officer Morris returned from Pittsburgh last night.

James Burns, of Farmington, was in town this afternoon.

W. O. Schoonover, B. & O. trainmaster, is in town.

Capt. A. N. Prichard, of Mannington, was in the city to-day.

Felix Cunningham, of Lincoln, is a Fairmont visitor to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fleming left for Philadelphia this afternoon.

Mrs. Thos. Hough returned from a Mannington visit to-day.

A. J. Wilkinson, of Grafton, was a visitor in the city last night.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Calvert, of Mannington, are in the city to-day.

Blake Taylor, class of '03, is in town for the Normal commencement.

Mrs. Garrett is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Luther Talkington, of Ninth street, Fifth ward.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Eddy returned to-day from the former's old home in Monongalia county.

Miss Jettie Knotts, of Mannington, is in the city, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. W. H. Nicholson, Jr.

R. M. Fortney, of Lincoln district, a prospective candidate for the House of Delegates on the Democratic ticket, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. Lenora Dudley Hickman, of Parsons, a former graduate of the Normal School, is here visiting friends and attending commencement.

Mrs. T. A. Maulsby will go to Mt. Lake Park to-morrow afternoon to spend several months. Capt. Maulsby will join her at the Park the first of July.

Misses Jennette Lake, Belle Wilderman and Sarah Morgan are all planning to attend the summer quarter of the University, which begins June 21st.

Cashier James R. Linn, of the Citizens' Dollar Savings Bank, left for Huntington this morning to attend the annual meeting of the State Bankers' Association.

Isaac Sturm, of Lincoln district, who returned from a protracted visit to Kansas a few days ago, on account of the illness of his venerable father, John Sturm, was in the city to-day.

Miss Ida Watson, who has been in Baltimore for several months past, is at her home here, but will soon return to Baltimore. She came yesterday with her brother, President C. W. Watson, of the Fairmont Coal Company.

Is Short on Funds. Evangelist Randall and his co-worker held meetings on Water street last evening. The experience working men was related and a crowd gathered on the pavement near him. He is short of help doesn't come he local news will be found in the West Virginian.

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VETERANS PLEAD FOR DEAD HEROES

COMMITTEE OF VETERANS MAKE PLEA TO COUNTY COURT FOR MONEY TO ERECT MONUMENT IN THE OAK GROVE CEMETERY.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., June 8.—A committee from Hoffman Post, G. A. R. No. 52, and several other gentlemen appeared before the County Court yesterday and requested the court to appropriate \$2,000 toward erecting a monument in Oak Grove cemetery in honor of the soldiers of the Civil and Philippine wars who are buried in that beautiful city of the dead. The court was addressed in behalf of the G. A. R. by Major Burns, Commander Brown, of Hoffman Post, comrades Baler Rexroad, Wm. I. Protzman, John E. Price and Jonah Bayles. In addition to the pleas of these veterans, for a monument to the memory of their fallen comrades, G. C. Baker and Chas. A. Goodwin made lengthy addresses in which they spoke of the value of the sleeping heroes and the duty of the living to pay a suitable tribute to their deeds of bravery and loyalty to their country.

One of the commissioners said that he believed that all of the three members of the court had made up their minds to grant the request of Hoffman Post, even before it was officially made by the committee.

It is the desire of Hoffman Post to have the monument erected in time to be unveiled on Memorial Day, May 30, 1905.

CARELESSNESS.

Caused Big Fire and Threw Over a Thousand Men and Boys Out of Employment.

HAZELTON, Pa., June 8.—Audenried number four breaker, owned by the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre, Coal Company situated four miles south of here, was burned down last night, throwing over a thousand men and boys out of employment. The fire was caused by the carelessness of one of the night machinists who was filling a lamp alongside of a can of oil. The breaker, one of the largest in the Lehigh field, was equipped with modern machinery and prepared several tons of coal per day. Loss \$100,000, covered by insurance.

"PEOPLE"

Don't Kill Each Other For Nothing.

CARMI, Ill., June 8.—A telephone message from Maunie states that a mob formed last night to do violence to John Robinson, who Monday murdered his wife and her brother and then shot himself. It was thought that Robinson was dead, but he has sufficiently recovered to cause the physicians to think his recovery probable. He will lose both legs. He did not appear worried, and will only say regarding his crime: "People don't kill each other for nothing." Officers hurried to Maunie after the receipt of the message.

ICE CREAM WAGON

Got the Worst of It In a Bout With a Hotel Bus.

Jim Martin's ice cream wagon was damaged last night by the Watson Hotel bus. The bus was standing in front of the hotel, and for some reason the horses started down Madison street at a lively gait. In attempting to turn into the alley the conveyance struck the above mentioned wagon. The horses were uninjured.

I have a saloon centrally located for sale quick. H. H. Lanham. x

Skinner Building
Second Door
Above Postoffice.

Midsummer Opening of Nobby Millinery and White Goods Sale.

Friday and Saturday.

MILLINERY—We will offer for these two days our entire line of Hats and Trimmings as well as the new pattern Hats, at prices just half their real value.

STREET HATS—A line at 39c, 89c and \$1.19, the regular \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 kind. All other Hats in proportion.

RUNAWAY

CAUSED MUCH EXCITEMENT DOWN THE BARNVILLE ROAD AT NOON TO-DAY—TWO GIRLS HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Another miraculous escape from death, such as we are getting used to, occurred on the Barnville road at 12:30 to-day.

Two young ladies from Rivesville were returning home after a few hours shopping in the city, when at the corner of Maple avenue the horse, which the girls claim was not properly harnessed, became excited and plunged down the steep road at breakneck speed, with both girls screaming at the top of their voices. Most of the residents of the neighborhood were at the noon-day meal, consequently a large crowd followed in the wake of the runaway.

When Elza Arnett's residence was reached by the rig, a large stepping stone jolted the buggy in such a manner that one of the occupants was thrown out. At Bo Clayton's house, a few yards below, the other unceremoniously vacated.

A large crowd of men, women and children surrounded the two, and many were the expressions of surprise, wonder and gratitude when it was learned that neither was hurt in the least.

The horse continued his mad course down the road to the Barnville bridge where it was stopped by two men. One of the men brought the horse back up the road to find the owners, who had been taken into Clayton's residence.

The young ladies, whose names are Lizzie Cunningham and Anna McClung, climbed back into the buggy and started for home within fifteen minutes after the accident.

If you are in need of a bicycle we carry a complete line from \$20 to \$40. J. L. Hall's Hardware Store. x

Mr. Shafer to Lecture.

Mr. W. C. Shafer will deliver an address to-night in the Palatine Baptist church on his recent visit to Palestine and the East. Everybody will be welcome.

In connection with the announcement we desire to say that Mr. Shafer's address is excellent, and it is a rare treat for those interested in the land where our Saviour "went about doing good." Mr. Shafer lectured on last Sunday evening at the First Baptist church to a large audience and all went home with a more intelligent notion of the Holy Land.

Hennen Quality

In Men's Clothing
MEANS

THE BEST

In Up-to-Date

TAILORING.

HENNEN SUITS
Are Best Always.

TWO CHILDREN

Get Young Men Into Trouble—Paul Jones Got Six Dollars' Worth.

Paul Jones was fined \$6.00 for disorderly conduct by His Honor this morning.

Two young fellows were up this morning, one on an assault and battery charge, the other as a living example of the first's prowess.

The first mentioned was with a lady, who had two children under her charge. She left them at the merry-go-round while she went up town for a few minutes with her escort. When they returned, the two small ones told of a certain young fellow who had in some way persecuted them. The first man walked over to where the second stood and hit him.

Assistant Chief Bartholow arrested the aggressor, who put up a \$10 forfeit, six of which was confiscated by the city at the trial.

SPECIAL MEETINGS

OF COUNCIL WILL BE HELD ON FRIDAY AND TUESDAY NIGHTS—STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE AND OTHER IMPORTANT THINGS ON THE LIST.

Two extra sessions of the City Council will be held before the next regular session. The meeting of last night adjourned until Friday night, when the application for franchise of the Fairmont and Mannington Street Railway Company will be taken up and some of the faculty ordinances relating to car lines in the city will be corrected. The matter of renting rooms for the city offices will also come up and any other business which may be brought before the Council.

A special meeting will be held Tuesday evening to give Officer W. G. Gould a hearing.

At Miners' Hospital.

Tony Solinski was brought to the Miners' Hospital on 71 to-day, suffering with a crushed arm and leg, which injury he sustained in the mines at Tunnelton.

WANT COLUMN.

Do You Know What We Want? Several Short "Ads." at One Cent Per Word.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply 325 Walnut avenue.

WANTED—A girl for general house-keeping. No washing. Apply 321 Main street.

FOR RENT—A few choice office rooms in the new Peoples Bank building. Apply at the Peoples Bank.

For Sale. Choice building lots on Virginia avenue and Sixth street. Apply Edwin Robinson, Gas Office.

LOST—Between Sapper's store and Watson Hotel, silver belt pin. Return to this office. Reward.

FOR RENT—Two dwelling houses on Locust avenue. Apply to S. E. Billingsley, 707 Fourth street.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms, all conveniences. Man and wife preferred, without children. Call at 206 Jefferson street.

FOR RENT—A number of fine office rooms for rent in the Geo. M. Jacobs building, Monroe street. Inquire of Geo. M. Jacobs, County Clerk's office.

Hartley's



Men's Two-Piece Summer Suits

Made like ours at our prices are rare indeed.

The upper show window has a splendid display of these suits.

The THIRD FLOOR holds as complete a stock as you would care to see.

Materials

Homespun, Cheviots, Serges and Flannels.

Colors

Tans, Grays, Blues and Fancy Mixtures.

Coats

Single and double-breasted, padded shoulders, non-sagging fronts. Skelton lined.

Trousers

Cut full and roomy, with turned up bottoms and belt straps attached.

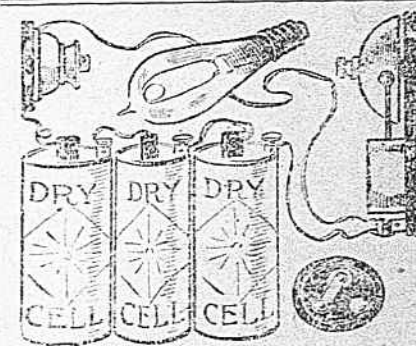
Prices are Moderate—\$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$9, \$10 and \$12.

Moderate prices on everything to wear for man or boy.

J. M. Hartley & Son,

Next to Court-house, Fairmont, W. Va.

I have a good saloon for sale that is doing a nice business at a good bargain. H. H. Lanham. x



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